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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No.  
SON-0518US

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**To the Commissioner of Patents:**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Kazuhiro SAKATA

corresponding to Japanese application 357758/2000, filed  
November 24, 2000,**entitled:** NOTIFICATION SYSTEM, NOTIFICATION SERVER, NOTIFICATION  
METHOD, AND RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDING NOTIFICATION PROGRAM**Enclosed are:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	22 pages of specification.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7 sheets of formal drawings.
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<input type="checkbox"/>	incorporation by reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied as indicated in the preceding box, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accom- panying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			\$ 270	

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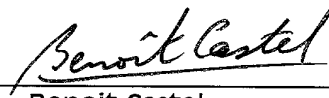
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